

IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

Application No.: 10/620,729
Applicant(s): Shigeaki IMAI, Koji FUJIWARA, Makoto MIYAZAKI and Naoki KUBO
For: MEASUREMENT SYSTEM
Confirmation No.: 9030
Customer No.: 24367
Docket No.: 15162/06040
Filed: July 16, 2003
Group Art Unit: 2624
Examiner: Kathleen S. Yuan

Commissioner for Patents
P.O. Box 1450
Alexandria, VA 22313-1450

Dear Sir:

AMENDMENT UNDER 37 C.F.R. § 1.116

This Amendment is filed in response to the Office Action dated September 18, 2008, which provides for a response period ending December 18, 2008 (because January 18th falls on a Sunday and January 19th and 20th are Federal holidays, this response is being filed on January 21, 2009).

A Petition for Extension of Time, to extend the response period for the Office Action, dated September 18, 2008, for one additional month to January 18, 2009, is being filed concurrently.

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Amendments to the Claims are reflected in the listing of claims which begins on page 3 of this paper.

Remarks begin on page 14 of this paper.

Please amend the above-identified application as follows: